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BS in Mathematics, Florida State University, Tallahassee, Florida, 1953

PRE-NASA CAREER:

Chemistry Department, Florida State University, Tallahassee, Florida, (1948-1953)

Secretary, Parapsychology Laboratory, Duke University, Durham North Carolina (1953-1955)

Dr. Irving Muskat, University of Miami, Richmond, Florida (1955)

Cardiopulmonary Function Technician, Lakeside Laboratories, Coral Gables, Florida (1956-1959)

NASA CAREER:

Mathematics Aid, Space Task Group, Langley Field, Virginia (1959-1961)

NASA Manned Spacecraft Center, Houston, Texas

Assistant Numerical Analysis Technician, Mission Planning and Analysis Division (1961-1963)

Aeronautical Engineer, Mission Planning and Analysis Division, Rendezvous Analysis Branch (1963-1968)

Aeronautical Engineer, Mission Planning and Analysis Division, Orbital Mission Analysis Branch (1968-1972)

Aeronautical Engineer, Mission Planning and Analysis Division, Mission Integration Branch, Mission Design Section (1972-1976)

Aeronautical Engineer, Mission Planning and Analysis Division, Flight Planning Branch, Flight Design Integration Section (1976-1984)

Aeronautical Engineer, Mission Planning and Analysis Division, Mission Development Branch (1984-1985)

Aeronautical Engineer, Mission Operations, Flight Design and Dynamics Division, Flight Design Branch (1985)

AWARDS & CITATIONS:

- NASA Special Achievement Award, 1979

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